## Express Mail Label No. EV332944398US <u>Date of Deposit: 5 February 2004</u>

Attorney Docket No.: PU60075

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Robert W. Marquis

Serial No.:

Not Assigned

Filed:

Herewith

For:

CATHEPSIN L INHIBITORS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Preliminary to calculating filing fees and examining this application please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.